1 2 3 4 5 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 KELVIN RAY ANDERSON, No. CIV S-03-2236 MCE GGH P 11 Petitioner, 12 13 v. ORDER GAIL LEWIS, ET AL., 14 15 Respondent. 16 17 Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has timely filed a notice of appeal of this court's March 24, 2005, denial 18 19 of his application for a writ of habeas corpus. Before 20 petitioner can appeal this decision, a certificate of appealability must issue. 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c); Fed. R. App. P. 21 22 22 (b). 23 A certificate of appealability may issue under 28 U.S.C. § 2253 "only if the applicant has made a substantial showing of 24 25 the denial of a constitutional right." 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2).

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The court must either issue a certificate of appealability indicating which issues satisfy the required showing or must state the reasons why such a certificate should not issue. Fed. R. App. P. 22(b).

For the reasons set forth in the magistrate judge's February 15, 2005, findings and recommendations, petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right.

Accordingly, a certificate of appealability should not issue in this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: April 18, 2005

MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE